



Bishop James Lee Hickey

April 24, 1941 - August 27, 2012

Bishop James Lee Hickey was born on April 24, 1941. He entered eternal rest on Monday, August 27, 2012

Bishop James L. Hickey is a nationally recognized and highly esteemed as a pastoral counselor, psychotherapist, workshop designer and presenter, chaplain, radio talk show host and pastor. He has had over 30 years of experience in the areas of ministry and counseling. He received his Bachelors of Science Degree in Pastoral Psychology and Counseling from Morgan State University's University without Walls. He went on to receive his Masters of Science Degree in Pastoral Counseling from Loyola University in Baltimore. He also attended the Doctoral Program in Counseling Psychology at Howard University in Washington, DC.

He established the Abundant Life Counseling Center in 1980, where he served as Executive Director and Pastoral Psychotherapist. During the early eighties, he hosted a radio talk show, "Growing Towards Wholeness" that provided a call-in platform for listeners. The listening audience grew exponentially in a short timeframe. Bishop Hickey was also trailblazer in development of the first community-based bereavement program in collaboration with March Funeral Homes. The program was the impetus for services now provided by "The Robert's House", a non-profit organization of March Funeral Homes. He later served as Executive Director at the Northeast Social Action Program in Carroll County, Maryland where he provided social

services to their indigent population. He then served as Director of Social Services at the Housing Authority of Baltimore City.

From 1994 to 1999, he served as Manager of Hospice Support Services at Bon Secours Home Health and Hospice of Baltimore, Maryland where he provided chaplaincy, volunteerism and bereavement care to terminally ill patients and their loved ones. While at Bon Secours, he developed and implemented a visitation and bereavement program for churches and provided consultation to local clergy. He served as CEO JL Hickey Ministries, Inc., a non-profit training program, specializing in Leadership and Bereavement care. He also served as the Director of Counseling at Future Care, Inc., until his demise. There, he provided counseling and pastoral care to their residents, their families and staff.

Bishop Hickey has been conferred several distinguished degrees; the Doctorate of Laws from the Redeemed International Bible Institute; the Doctorate of Humane Letters from the New Hope Bible College; and the Doctorate of Ministry. In 1999 Bishop Hickey was consecrated for the office of Bishop by the late Apostle Bishop Monroe Saunders, Sr., D. Min.

He served as a board of director's member and assistant pastor of The Tabernacle Church, Laurel Maryland, 1,000 + member multi-cultural congregation, under the leadership of Dr, Randolph Gurley and Dr. Manon Gurley. In addition, Bishop Hickey aptly served as Secretary of Harvest International Ministerial Fellowship of over 3,000 pastors and churches worldwide.

The only love Jim had more than serving and offering Jesus Christ was his family. He is married to his beloved wife, Sister Francine A. Hickey. He leaves to celebrate his life and continue his legacy, his loving and devoted wife

Francine A. Hickey; daughters Jacqueline Thomas (deceased), Vivian Singletary-Breland, (Bryant Breland, Sr., husband); Kali Hickey and Keri S. Hickey; son David Lewis (Patricia Lewis, wife); granddaughters: Vaquea D. Singletary, Jasmine Thomas, Leslie Hickey, and Shanin Hickey; three grandsons: Bryant Breland, Jr., Jerry Thomas (deceased) and Nathan James Lewis; great granddaughters Jasmine Thomas King, Tashieara Breland, Imani Hickey and Nathaniel James Lewis; brothers: David Hickey Jr., Ralph J. D. Hickey, Sr., (deceased), Joseph C. Hickey and John W. Hickey III; sisters: Mary Williams, Rosemary Hart, Betty J. Hickey, Adrienne D. Hickey, Katrina S. Hickey; colleagues; and a multitude of nieces, nephews, cousins, aunts, uncles and spiritual children.

Cemetery Details

King Memorial Park Cemetery - Grand Heritage Chapel & Mausoleum

8710 Dogwood Rd.
Baltimore, MD 21244
(410) 944-8300
info@kingmemorialpark.com
<https://www.KingMemorialPark.com>

Previous Events

Public Viewing

AUG 30. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215
(410) 542-2400
info@marchfh.com

Public Viewing

AUG 31. 8:30 AM - 3:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215
(410) 542-2400
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Family Hour

AUG 31. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Destiny Christian Church
5501 Liberty Heights Avenue
Baltimore, MD

Memorial Service

AUG 31. 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

Destiny Christian Church
5501 Liberty Heights Avenue
Baltimore, MD

Wake

SEP 1. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

The Tabernacle Church
11601 S. Laurel Drive
Laurel, MD

Service

SEP 1. 10:00 AM (ET)

The Tabernacle Church
11601 S. Laurel Drive
Laurel, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Bishop James Lee Hickey*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Shalom Hickey Family,
Please receive our condolences in the
absence of Bishop Jim Hickey who was very
instrumental in our premarital counseling 31
years ago .*

*We shall forever remember his words of wisdom that has sealed our
union over these 31 years.*

*We just became aware of his departure while attending a service
where Arch Bishop Dennis Gophin shared that report when we
inquired about Bishop Hickey.*

He shall truly be missed as his works live on here in the earth!



Bruce Jones - October 15, 2014 at 12:08 AM



“ *Our prayers are with the Hickey family.*

C. Barber - December 30, 2012 at 10:26 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your lost. Losing a loved one is never easy. I hope
when you find time that you turn with your bible to Rev 21:4 and that
Jehovah Gods words bring you comfort in this time of need.*

Kevea P. - September 04, 2012 at 08:38 AM

MS

“ I'm so sorry for your loss and would like to offer my condolences to your family. Death is such a terrible thing for a family to go through, I actually lost my mom about 3yrs ago. I'm truly grateful that I have the truth about death and look forward to the future when there will be a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous.”— ACTS 24:15. I'm sure you would love to see your dead loved one again in the coming Paradise here on earth! Again so sorry for your loss!!

Ms Springer - September 01, 2012 at 04:59 PM



“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

March Funeral Homes - August 29, 2012 at 06:51 PM

CR

I am an employee of Future Care Homewood. We have had Rev. Hickey in our facility numerous times. In our time of sorry and need he always had a healing word. He possessed such a kind spirit. He will truly be missed. Loosing Rev. Hickey is like loosing a family member. Thank you sir for all you have done. May you rest in peace.

C. Nadine Rosber - August 31, 2012 at 06:06 AM

VS

I'm his oldest Grand Daughter. I'm so appreciative of your condolences. My Grandfather was so unique in delivering the word of GOD!!! Sorry for the late response; I didn't know this page existed until today!!!! But Happy Holidays to you and YOUR FAMILY and staff

Vaquea Singletary - December 17, 2019 at 12:01 AM